

KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
STAFF NOTE

Review Items:

Kentucky High School Athletic Association Title IX update of Phase 2 of the 2008-2009 KHSAA Audit Visit Schedule.

Applicable Statute or Regulation:

702 KAR 7:065, Designation of agent to manage high school interscholastic athletics

History/Background:

Existing Policy. The KHSAA is currently conducting 41 on-site audit visits as part of the second phase of the "Audit Project". These visits are scheduled to be completed in April 2009. (See attached list.) The KHSAA is conducting Title IX Workshops in Madisonville, KY on November 20, 2008 and in Lexington, KY at the Hyatt Regency on December 3, 2008. Title IX coordinators from each school system and each individual school in this area of the state are encouraged to attend. Since the inception of the KHSAA Title IX Audit Project, one of the fundamental objectives of the project is to ensure that girl's high school sports teams receive equal consideration in the scheduling process for prime date playing opportunities. We are continuing to monitor, as well as mandate to school personnel that they properly attend to this initiative on an annual basis, through a review of boys' and girls' basketball schedules. KHSAA member schools are still required to submit an Annual Self Audit Report including corrective action on noted deficiencies to the Association by April 15th of every year.

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